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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Applicant : Nakajima, Hideo
App. No : 10/030,732
Filed : January 8, 2002
For : PRODUCTION METHOD FOR POROUS METAL BODY
Examiner : Kevin P. Kerns
Art Unit : 1725

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Dear Sir:

This Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being made as follows:

1. Submission Required under 37 CFR 1.114:

- (X) Enclosed:
(X) Amendment/Reply in 8 pages.
(X) Declaration by Hideo Nakajima in 8 pages.
(X) Return Postcard.

2. Fees:

FEE CALCULATION				
FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
RCE Fee		2801 (\$395)		\$395
Total Claims	14 - 20 = 0	2202 (\$25)	0 x 25 =	\$0
Independent Claims	5 - 3 = 2	2201 (\$100)	2 x 100 =	\$200
2 Month Extension		2252 (\$225)		\$225
			TOTAL FEE DUE	\$820

- (X) An extension of time is hereby requested by payment of the appropriate fee indicated above.

3. Payment:

- (X) Check in the amount of \$820 to cover the above fees.

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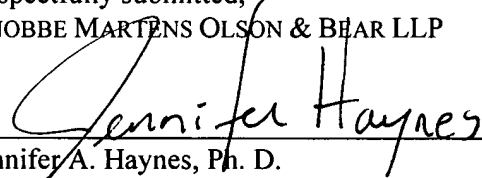
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Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,
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